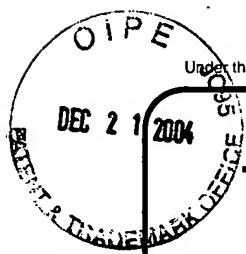


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Dear Sir:

REMARKS

In response to the Restriction Requirement as set forth in the Office Action dated November 26, 2004, be advised that the Applicant elects to prosecute the claims in group 2, that being claims 14-29 which is drawn to a method and apparatus for forming a web which is classified in class 493, subclass 3368.


This election is made without traverse.

Applicant by and through their counsel would request that the Office telephone the attorneys in the event that a further telephone conference could expedite the prompt handling of the present application.

Respectfully submitted,

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